

Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development

Research and Analysis Section ~ Unemployment Insurance Research

Alaska Unemployment Insurance Tax System

Total and Taxable Wages in SFY 2013 and UI Tax Base Calculation for CY 2014

Year - Qtr	(1) Total Wages Paid By Contributing Employers	(2) Taxable Wages	(3) Total Wages Paid By Covered Employers	(4) Average Monthly Covered Employment
2012 - 3	\$3,234,979,433	\$1,695,225,167	\$4,004,143,201	327,825
2012 - 4	3,028,627,983	1,007,962,821	3,896,676,734	305,170
2013 - 1	2,900,551,927	2,641,816,611	3,755,345,049	298,711
2013 - 2	2,976,755,237	2,121,591,915	3,903,668,434	317,207
Total	12,140,914,580	7,466,596,514	15,559,833,418	312,228

(a)	Average Annual Wage = (3)/(4)	=	\$49,834.84
(b)	75% of Average Annual Wage = (a) X .75	=	\$37,376.13
(c)	Taxable Wage Base = (b) rounded to nearest \$100	=	\$37,400
(d)	Ratio of Taxable To Total Wages = (2)/(1)	=	0.61499457
(e)	Average Weekly Wage = (a) / 52	=	\$958.36

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Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages (QCEW) report to the U.S. Department of Labor

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